

Amendments to the Specification:

Please add the following new paragraph on Page 1, above line 1:

--CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicants claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German Application No. 103 30 338.3 filed on July 4, 2003.

Applicants also claim priority under 35 U.S.C. §365 of PCT/DE2004/001407 filed on July 2, 2004. The international application under PCT article 21(2) was not published in English.--